

DAILY NEVADA STATE JOURNAL

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TOWN AND COUNTY.

BREVITIES.

More bricks.
Reno is lucky after all.
Tremont Hotel meals 25 cents.
Try the Tremont Hotel croquet grounds.
Shout down the first incendiary caught.
There will be no services in the Baptist Church to-day.

W. H. Payne, of Booth & Co., was in town yesterday.

Second street ought now to come to the front as a business street.

Wanted, at the Tremont Hotel a number of good men for ranch work.

Jas. Mayberry has received his commission as Water Commissioner from the Governor.

The ladies of the Methodist Church took in \$108 at their ice cream and lunch stand on the 4th.

Lot 6, Block "J," Pawning's Addition, was yesterday sold to E. Schmidt, of Lange & Schmidt. Consideration \$300.

P. L. Hallstead has sold the Plumes National to Goodwin & McCleskey, and will J. Varrel will be editor and manager.

N. P. Jacques has resumed business in the store room on the southeast corner of Virginia and Second streets, and is ready to do all kinds of plumbing and tin work on short notice.

Jacques has opened out again in the Dr. Prentice corner, opposite the First National Bank. He will occupy one of the new Thompson bricks on Virginia street as soon as the block is built.

Rev. T. P. Bradshaw will preach in the M. E. Church at 11 A. M. In the evening the pastor will preach to the children and award prizes after which some will be received in full membership in the church.

PACIFIC COAST FAILURES.

Nearly Five Hundred in the Past Six Months.

The Bradstreet Mercantile Agency reports 424 failures in the Pacific Coast States and Territories for the first six months of 1889, with assets \$1,132,933 and liabilities \$2,303,030, as compared with 399 for the previous six months, with assets \$1,078,508 and liabilities \$2,074,937, and 422 for the corresponding six months of 1888, with assets \$3,524,590 and liabilities \$7,389,295.

The failures for the past six months are divided among the States and Territories as follows:

State.	No.	Assets.	Liabilities.
California	365	\$97,233 00	\$1,944,024 00
Nevada	29	\$2,150 00	\$26,497 00
Oregon	21	\$1,350 00	\$106,524 00
Washington Ter.	4	\$3,200 00	\$4,494 00
Arizona	4	\$8,900 00	\$7,551 00
Total	424	\$1,132,933 00	\$2,303,030 00

A Little Mixed.

The editor of the Willows, Colusa county, Journal, gives this experience:

The editor of a country newspaper, whose office is between the Methodist church and a dance hall, sat on the veranda and took in the situation, jotting down the following which he heard: "On Lord—all salute—we beseech thee to—join hands and—draw near—and—circle to the left—hasten to—near forward and back—as we—all pronounce—first before thee—and—balance—all—present our petition—grant right and left—for Christ's sake—seat your partners—Amen."

W. J. Henley Arrested.

The Hawthorne Bulletin says: The last Grand Jury found two indictments against ex-County Clerk Henley, charging him with embezzlement of money received while Clerk. When the indictments were found Henley was absent from the county, and no warrants were issued for his apprehension. Henley returned of his own volition last Sunday, and on Monday he was arrested, and in default of \$2,000 bonds he was placed in custody. His trial will probably take place on the 22d, and he appears confident that he will be acquitted.

Taken Sick Suddenly.

The Austin Reville has this: Johnny Williamson was taken last night with sinking spells so that Dr. Southard was sent for. For some time he has been troubled with restless nights, repeating in his sleep, what he had read during the day, and it has culminated in an attack of sickness. He has studied too hard at the University, and has over-taxed his brain. We hope that he will soon be out and around again.

Caution Notice.

Notice is hereby given to all parties against purchasing any new hardware of any description which was saved from my store and stolen by unknown parties. Any one purchasing any articles of this character from unknown parties will be duly prosecuted according to law.

N. P. JACQUES.

Notice.

On and after Monday, June 24th, I will sell Soda and Sarsaparilla at 75 cents per case, two (2) dozen in case. Send in your orders.

GEORGE BRECKEN.

The pastor, officers and trustees of the Baptist Church return thanks to the citizens and friends who so kindly saved so much property belonging to the church that was burned Saturday morning.

REV. C. L. FRYER, Pastor.

WILLIS SANDERS, Chairman Board of Trustees.

The Pastor returns thanks to kind friends for saving so much of his library. Out of 224 books 118 have been found. Among those lost are eleven large Commentary costing \$10 each.

C. L. FISHER, Pastor.

Got Even on Him.

Helen P. Stanberry, of Detroit, Mich., by her will leaves her husband \$500 a year out of an estate valued at \$25,000, no longer as he remains single, if he finds an affinity the other way.

ANOTHER BLAZE.

A Lively Time and \$10,000 Lost.

At 1:20 yesterday morning fire was discovered in the rear of the blue saloon and the store buildings on the Everett corner, and the alarm was given immediately. But there was the usual delay with the engines and water, and the flames obtained such headway that it soon became evident the entire corner would go, including the Baptist Church. And so they did making a red-hot fire, and scorching Hymor's stable on the west, the Journal porch and the little frames of Miss McKee and Judge Webster on the south, but these were all saved by the use of blankets and buckets of water. The flames from the church spread to the wooden structures in the rear of the Chase & Church saloon, and Sol. Levy's store, which were destroyed, and then caught Manning's tin store and the frame annex of the Gazette office. For a few minutes it looked as though these buildings as well as Sanderlund's would go, but the fire boys got the water in good shape and the bricks were saved, as well, probably, as other business houses. Luckily there was no wind prevailing during the fire or the loss would have been great. As it is probably \$15,000 will cover it. The insurance floats up about \$8,000. Manning had \$500 on his tin store; the Baptist Church was insured for \$2,500; the blue saloon had \$1,000; the Tea store \$400; Jacques is the heaviest loser, only having \$1,500 on his stock, and \$500 on his tools, but nearly all of the latter were carried out and saved. O'Connor & Manning had \$1,000 on the Jacques building and tea store. The other losses, excepting Mr. Smith's, whose house back of the Jacques store was burned, average from \$25 to \$100. The Journal believes the fire was of incendiary origin, and set among a pile of rubbish in the rear of the blue painted saloon.

WATER IN NEVADA.

Measurement of the Truckee and Its Tributaries.

Under the direction of Colonel Lyman Bridges, of the United States Surveying Department, Frank Harrison is making regular measurements and reports of the running streams of the eastern slope. He finds the amounts to be as follows:

Truckee river at Essex May 20.	Cubic inches per second.
The same May 20.	1,727
The same June 20.	376
Dog creek May 24.	524
Prosser creek May 24.	624
Juniper creek May 24.	157
Joe Gray creek May 24.	84
Bronco creek May 24.	38
Worth's creek May 24.	19
Squaw creek May 24.	93
Joe Gray creek June 20.	10
Prosser creek June 20.	44
Carson river June 10.	441
West fork Carson.	73

The New Railroad.

When questioned on the subject an official of the Rio Grande Western system said:

"Surveys have been made from Salt Lake to the California line, running south of the Central Pacific on an average of about 200 miles, mostly through mining towns of Utah and Nevada. The engineers' reports have all been most favorable. They say that the road will run through a paying country outside of the first one hundred miles west of Salt Lake. As soon as a decision is reached about this part of the programme, the road can be constructed within twelve months. It will be practically impossible to shorten the distance from Salt Lake to San Francisco, so far as the Central Pacific is concerned. The engineers tell us that ours will be the better line of the two in the matter of grades, and of course you recognize what this means. The trunk lines, which now terminate at the Missouri river are heading for Colorado, simply to get to the vast coal fields of our State. If the fuel question was eliminated, they would remain where they are, as there is not now, and in my judgment there never will be, enough business in the mountainous regions to keep all these big lines busy, and I suppose you are aware that railroads must be kept constantly at work to make them profitable. The same argument will hold good so far as the Pacific Slope is concerned, and therefore I never expect to see all the Missouri Valley lines running into San Francisco. One or two or three more will be sufficient to handle all the shipments in and out, and make the ventures profitable."

Advice to Mothers.

Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with pain of cutting teeth? If so, send at once and get a bottle of Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children Teething. Its value is incalculable. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Depend upon it, mothers, there is no mistake about it. It cures dysentery and diarrhoea, regulates the stomach and bowels, cures wind colic, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, and gives tone and energy to the whole system. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children Teething is pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female nurses and physicians in the United States, and is for sale by all druggists throughout the world. Price 25 cents a bottle.

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A fatality seems to rest upon the Cosewagh valley. After the great flood came fire and disease, and now a second flood, due to the rapid rise of the Cosewagh river is feared. If this occurs all the temporary railroad bridges and other structures that have been built will be swept away and the work of restoration will have to be begun anew. The pluck of these people will be tested to the utmost, as they have certainly had to endure as severe a test of courage as was ever demanded of any community, but like most Americans, they have shown a recuperative power that is the marvel of the Old World.

The clerk of George Borgfeldt & Co., big New York importers of novelties, advertised for an office-boy, saying, "No Hebrews wanted." The Hebrew merchants were indignant and have commenced a boycott on the firm, notwithstanding an explanation of the firm's irresponsibility for the wording of the advertisement.

Queer Bird Nests.

Birds have some queer fancies in selecting spots for building their nests. Some time ago, near Seaville, New Jersey, I noticed in a grove of oaks, that nearly every tree had an old tin can nailed up in it. I found on examination that the cans were all occupied by wrens and bluebirds. But what attracted my attention most was an old boot fastened in one of the trees. As I approached it a bluebird flew out, and although it was twenty-five feet from the ground, I climbed up and saw inside five young birds comfortably sitting in the nest.

I once found a veritable tower nest, built by a pair of robins. They had built a nest in a cedar tree, and it had been found unsuitable for some reason that they alone knew. Immediately afterwards they built a second one on top of it, and still being unsatisfied, they built a third one. But they were very hard to please, for still another nest was constructed on top of the third one, and a fifth one on top of the fourth, before they were contented to begin housekeeping. Not long after that four little heads were peeping over the edge of their lofty home.

An old gentleman once told me that his wife, on a certain wash day, missed a lace cap that she had hung out on the line and fastened with a clothes pin. Several days afterward, when walking in his garden, he noticed something white fluttering in the branches of a cherry tree, and an examination showed that a pair of robins had taken the cap from the line and fastened it among the twigs and grass of their nest. The birds had undoubtedly pulled the cap from between the prongs of the clothes pins, for they could not otherwise have obtained it. They were left in undisturbed possession of their prize.

A pair of sparrows in Central park, New York, have regularly, for several years, built their nest and reared their young ones in the right hand of Daniel Webster's statue. But a stranger place than that has been used by a pair in Charing Cross, London, for six years past. These brave little fellows have made their home right in the mouth of a lion—but the lion is made of stone.—Philadelphia Times.

The Colored Brother Emancipated in Germany. Berlin is less cosmopolitan than almost any other of the large cities of the world. It is comparatively seldom that one sees strange costumes and strange people, as is daily the case in New York, Paris and London. It is not a great while since the street gamins would follow an Englishman or American, whose dress differed somewhat from the ordinary, and cry at the top of their voices, "Engländer!" or "Yankee!" Although that has changed somewhat in the course of time, the novelty has not yet worn off. A colored man clad in respectable garments who appears in Berlin is almost lionized. There is no race prejudice on the contrary, he is the equal of all, and people speak of the handsome "brunet" and the frauleins saddle "Pegusus" in his honor.

I have seen hundreds of promenaders stop before the Café sur Opera and gaze for minutes at the colored man who acts as porter to the establishment. His presence draws numerous people to the restaurant who would otherwise pass it by. The big fellow appreciates his position now, has become proud, and shows his white teeth in smiles of recognition to many fashionable people in the street. His wages are high, and being the only attraction of his kind in Berlin, he is able to dictate his terms. In the classical city of Weimar a negro married the daughter of the court preacher. The wedding was honored by the presence of his royal highness Grand Duke Alexander and all the aristocratic people of that modern Athens.—London Letter.

Spirits of the Sea.

Hauled up on the sandy beach near the foot of Ocean street are two old whale boats which, although in fair condition, are eloquent in the evidence of long service and dumb rehearsal of soul stirring scenes and perils amid solitude and ice, guided by brave men who isolate themselves from home, friends and comfort in pursuit of a noble calling, whose one bright light now burns dimly; they are brought through with the romance of the deep which surrounds one like a fog, and mans the battle scarred boats with ghostly phantoms of those whose powerful breasts, now silent, motionless and unknown, once heaved under the inspiration of the chase alternated with anxious thoughts and yearnings for loved ones from whom they were separated by such an immensity of time and space. These boats have recently been brought here for use in local fishing industries, and will prove an interesting subject for examination by summer visitors who seek communion with the spirits of the sea.—Falmouth (Mass.) Local.

His Politics.

It is very seldom that you find a negro begging. Of course, he is always ready, like many a white man, to take whatever is tendered him, but street beggars among the colored race are very scarce. One, however, came into the secretary's room on 'Change the other day. He wanted some change, and I agreed with the assistant secretary to give the beggar a quarter if he would acknowledge he was a Democrat, while my friend was to do likewise should the colored itinerant claim allegiance to the party of purity. We then asked the negro what his political persuasion was, and he replied, after being told what arrangements we had made to provide for him: "Well, boss, I see neither. I see on de fence." It is needless to say that he received both quarters.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

A Beggars' Ball.

At a recent beggars' ball in Vienna there were 5,000 persons present, all in beggars' costume. The more beggarly the costume the greater the applause that greeted it, and at the close a prize was awarded to the person who was adjudged to have made the most successful hit in costume and manner. A person who caricatured a well known actress won it.

The Governors of Mississippi, Alabama and Louisiana are communicating with a view of stopping, if possible, the proposed prize-fight between Sullivan and Kilrain. If they succeed in preventing the bout, and will perhaps shame the authorities of some of the Northern States into making an endeavor to stop similar affairs in the section above Mason and Dixon's line.

THE ARID LANDS.

Where the Engineers Will Begin the Surveys—The Different Divisions Already Made and the Engineers in Charge.

The San Francisco Bulletin says:

One of the most important subjects before the people of the West at present is the subject of arid lands. It will be remembered that at the last session of Congress a Senate Committee was appointed to investigate the subject of arid land surveys and Senator W. M. Stewart, of Nevada, was elected chairman. As soon as these steps had been taken the State Board of Trade in this city took the matter in hand and appointed a sub-committee of prominent members to receive the Senate Committee, entertain them, and furnish such information as could be gathered when they arrive here, which is expected to be about August 1st. A sub-committee shortly after it was appointed, M. M. Esteo was elected Chairman, and at a meeting about a month ago, Senator Stanford, Senator Stewart of Nevada, W. H. Mills of the Southern Pacific Company, and W. H. Hall, ex-State Engineer, addressed the meeting. At the meeting a letter was read from G. P. Huntington, stating that he would do all he possibly could to help the committee in its work. The Department of Engineers at Washington appointed ex-State Engineer Hall an assistant engineer and sent to direct the Washington party over that portion of the State that needed investigation. When the Act was passed by Congress \$250,000 was appropriated for the use of the engineers for carrying out their work.

The subject is again revived by the arrival in this city of Captain Clarence E. Dutton of the Ordnance Department, U. S. A., at Washington, who has been appointed Chief Engineer of the survey by Major Powell, the head officer of the department at that place.

Captain Dutton has been in this city since last Saturday, but has managed to keep himself from public view. He told a Bulletin reporter this morning that he was very busy, having considerable correspondence to attend to, and was not at liberty to talk a great deal.

"What information do you desire?" said Mr. Dutton.

"Information of any description that bears upon the subject of the arid land surveys," was the reply.

"Well," said Mr. Dutton, "I am just getting ready to investigate the subject, and will remain here for some little time, that is, in the State, as this division is the last one to be formed, and of course I will have to travel over the territory to some extent. You are aware of the fact that W. H. Hall is the assistant engineer who has done here the work of course in consultation with him will be had before a programme is thoroughly decided on, but I think it is probable that we will pay considerable attention to the arid land in Stanislaus and Tuolumne counties, and will devote on other points to be visited during the next week or so. The divisions that have already been formed are situated in the Arkansas Valley, Col.; Rio Grande Valley, N. M.; Upper Missouri, Yellowstone Valley, Snake river, Idaho; and Carson and Truckee, Nev.

Mr. Hall is the supervising engineer over the divisions of the Western half, and E. S. Nettleton, of Denver, fills a like position for the Eastern half."

It is also stated that an effort will be made to have Captain Dutton push his investigation into Kern county especially, and pay general attention to the whole of the San Joaquin district.

W. M. Stewart, of Nevada, Senator Allison, of Iowa, and Senator Dawes, of Massachusetts, are a portion of the committee to arrive.

In advance of the arrival of the Senate body, a statistical guide will be furnished for the benefit of the committee.

A report is expected to be submitted to the local committee by Engineer Hall and the same laid before the committee appointed by Congress.

Mr. Harrison generally says the right thing at the right time, whether it be on the 4th of July or during a political campaign.

WHAT ON EARTH

Is the reason people will not, can not or do not use any difference in cheap nostrums put up by cheap John houses or irresponsible parties at present prices, rather than take a medicine of long reputation and one that is giving universal satisfaction at all prices? No medicine in the world is giving such unparalleled satisfaction for purifying the blood as Hood's Sarsaparilla. PURELY VEGETABLE, and every bottle that does not do its work will cost you nothing.

OBSERVE A SKELETON IN THE WALL.

When Baby was sick,
We gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child,
She cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss,
She clung to Castoria.
When she had Children,
She gave them Castoria.

WHAT IS

SCROFULA
It is that impurity in the blood, which, accumulating in the glands of the neck, produces tumorous swellings, which cause painful runnels sores on the arms, legs, or feet, which developes ulcers in the eyes, ears, or nose, often causing blindness or deafness; which is the origin of pimples, cancerous growths, or the many other manifestations usually ascribed to "humors," which, fastening upon the lungs, causes consumption and death. Being the most ancient, it is the most general of all diseases or affections, for very few persons are entirely free from it.

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By taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, which, by the remarkable cures it has accomplished, often when other medicines have failed, has proven itself to be a potent and peculiar medicine for this disease. Some of these cures are really wonderful. If you suffer from scrofula, be sure to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. "My daughter Mary was afflicted with scrofulous neck from the time she was 22 months old till she became six years of age. Lumps grew on her neck, and one of them after growing to the size of a pigeon's egg, became a running sore for over three years. We gave her Hood's Sarsaparilla, when the lump and all indications of scrofula entirely disappeared, and now she seems to be a healthy child." J. S. CLARK, Narragansett, N. J.

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100 Doses One Dollar

BIDS WANTED.

BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED UNTIL 10 O'CLOCK A. M., of Friday, the 24th instant for the erection of a brick and frame building on the State University grounds, at Reno, Nevada. The Board of Regents reserve the right to reject any and all bids, and to accept such as they may deem proper. Plans, specifications and further information can be obtained of GEO. H. TAYLOR, Secretary of the Board of Regents.

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The Public Reminded.

All bills due Coleman & Gebhardt on August 1, 1888, the date of their dissolution, were payable to me. A dissolution notice of above date.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 1, 1888.

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For Sale. Ten desirable town lots, 20x120, with water sufficient for irrigation; fronting on State St. Price, \$240 per lot. Apply to H. H. LINDSAY, agent.

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OUR HOLIDAY PARASOLS.

Children's Parasols.....at 25c., 50c., 75c., \$1 and \$1.25
Ladies' Parasols.....at 50c., 75c., \$1, \$1.50 and up to \$10

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Specially Imported for This Time.

Sateen Suits.....at \$1.00
Sateen Suits.....at 2.00
Imported Sateen Patterns.....at \$2.50, 3.00 and 3.50

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